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Amendments to the Specification

On page 7 of the Application, please replace Section [0021] with the following Section [0021], as amended:

[0021] The digital content store provides users with an opportunity to purchase authorized usage of digital content, such as single or multiple music tracks, video, movies, and/or video games. The users can also buy lieense a license to a desired track for a fixed number of times, e.g. preferably the users can listen on three different machines simultaneously. Users can also burn a play list of X number of times, for example ten. The burn limit preferably applies to the play list, not the song. Mixed media capability is provided that allows the purchase of digital content and/or physical media. The digital content store system comprises a unique digital rights management system and a back-end enabling system that controls these digital rights.

On page 10 of the Application, please replace Section [0048] with the following Section [0048], as amended:

[0048] On the server side 14, promotional links and user account 38 typically comprises comprise a user interface 103, download and order history 46, content download 104, license download 106, and license purchase 108. An encrypted content store 110 stores encrypted content 18, such as is available for purchase within the digital content store system 12. Other server storage comprises content metadata and usage rights 112, keys database 114, and a user database 116.

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On page 14 of the Application, please replace Section [0067] with the following Section [0067], as amended:

[0067] The output module 211 is also preferably tamper resistant, and performs decryption of usage rights 24, determination of sufficient usage rights for assets 18, decryption of asset keys 22, and upon a proper request, decryption of encrypted assets 18 with the associated asset key 22. As well, if usage rights are to be affected by any action or use, the output module 211fellews 211 follows the required steps for updating the asset rights into the secure key locker 26.